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Fwd: RE: Filer #829143 Request for Appeal \$300 Late charge

Nita Putnam <nitaputnam@esitsd.com> To: Tom Steinmetz <tomsteinmetz@esitsd.com> Wed, Jan 31, 2018 at 2:02 PM

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From: Amy Kavelman < Amy. Kavelman@usac.org> Sent: Wednesday, January 31, 2018 1:38:14 PM

To: Nita Putnam

Cc: Tom Steinmetz: Mona Castleton

Subject: RE: Filer #829143 Request for Appeal \$300 Late charge

Ms Putnam.

The Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) has completed its evaluation of the appeal you submitted on behalf of Executive Systems, Inc. (Filer ID 829143), received on January 30, 2018 (below). In the appeal, you request that USAC waive the late filing fees of \$300 associated with the company's November 2017 FCC Form 499-Q, which appeared on the January 2018 invoice. You state that the late filing was the result of personal reasons.^[1]

USAC has reviewed your appeal and determined that your appeal seeks a waiver of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) rules governing the assessment of late filing fees. Therefore, Executive Systems, Inc. must seek relief directly from the Commission and USAC hereby dismisses your appeal.

USAC will consider this matter closed unless you notify us within 30 days from the date of this email and provide a detailed explanation of any issues you believe remain outstanding. If you wish to appeal this decision to the FCC, you may file an appeal pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. Part 54, Subpart I. Detailed instructions for filing appeals are available at the bottom of the page at this link:

http://www.usac.org/cont/payers/billing-disputes/appeals.aspx

Please let us know if you have any additional questions and/or concerns.

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¹ Letter from Nita Putnam, Preparer, Executive Systems, Inc., to USAC (January 30, 2018) (Appeal).

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Sent: Tuesday, January 30, 2018 5:05 PM

To: ContributorAppeals < ContributorAppeals@usac.org >

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Importance: High

This is a request for an appeal for the 1-15-18 \$300.00 late filing sanction. I have attached a copy of invoice #: UBDI0000955097.

My contact information is:

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Filer #829143

Reason For Appeal: Due to surgery in October, I was unavailable to certify the submission and did not become aware of the oversight until the billing came in January.

I appreciate your consideration for approval of this appeal.

For additional information please feel free to contact me.

Thank you. Nita

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[1] Letter from Rainer R. Gleinig, CEO, GTek Computers & Wireless L.L.C., to USAC (June 13, 2016) (Appeal).

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